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CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY OUR CITY COUNCIL

After the reading of the minutes and the approval of bills at last night's monthly meeting of council, Clerk J. E. Pittman read a petition signed by 106 citizens praying for the change of our form of government from a borough to a third class city. A motion was made that the petition be referred to a special commitee to make a report within seven days at which time council, according to the Clark bill, must submit the question to the electors for approval or disapproval. Chairman Shrader appointed on the committee A. J. Knight, W. D. Hunter and Graff Milhollan with instructions that they report as soon within the seven days as convenient.

A petition signed for the paving of East Donner to the borough line was read and referred to the streets and roads committee.

A delegation of citizens from Linden avenue swarmed to the council chamber to be heard with regard to the paving of that thoroughfare. A number of them made appeals to be pulled out of the mud if there was a possible way. Dr. Hunter suggested that the street could be improved immediately if the property owners would send in a petition agreeing to pay all costs relieveing the borough of its one third. Mr. Reese of the Westmoreland Lumber company jumped to his feet and filed an objection to any such a movement with the argument that they had helpel pay for all the paving in town and residents of that street should not be imposed by any extraordinary burden.

A. J. Knight, representative of the First ward who has been contending for the paving of the street saw an opportunity to assist his constituency and moved that the streets and roads committee be allowed to go over the street again and make a final report with some recommendations. Chairman Shrader asked the citizens to meet with the committe and look the street over.

John Petrusky of Seneca street, at the suggestion of his attorney, was present to make a statement with regard to the injury of his daughter who was knocked into the ditch by a passing team. The girl's leg was broken and Mr. Petrusky desires to settle the matter without a law suit. Bumer,

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McNeil Boy Slowly Recovering From Serious Injury

Friends of Hughey McNeil, the lad who was so seriously injured by falling from an auto are anxious as to his condition.

The boy is the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McNeil, and as the children were returning from school Monday noon, he with other boys ran and jumped on the rear of a passing delivery auto. It is not known just how the accident happened, but it is thought that the McNeil boy became overbalanced and fell backward as he was climbing from the truck.

Both bones in one leg are broken and the leg and ankle badly crushed. The sole was torn from the shoe and indications are that the leg might have been caught in the wheel and the the leg twisted and then run over.

The boy himself or none of his companions could tell how the accident hapened, so quickly was it done.

It is a very bad fracture and friends are hoping that complications may not be such as to necessitate further trouble.

MIHM ALLOWED $109 FOR BODILY INJURIES

In the $10,000 damage suit entered by Clemens Mihm, the local pop manufacturer against A. W. Powell, proprietor of the Tyrol Pass garage, the jury returned a vedict in favor of the plaintiff for $109.00.

The case was called for trial Tuesday afternoon and concluded last night. The jury was charged this morning and within a very short time returned the above verdict. The trouble arose over an automobile accident that happened last September on Schoonmaker avenue when Powell's automobile collided with Mihm's pop wagon, badly damaging the wagon and throwing Mr. Mihm to the street, fracturing a leg. The injuries were of such a nature that Mr. Mihm was unable to perform his duties during the winter. He based his $10,000 damages to personal injuries, the loss to his business, injury to horses and damage to the wagon. The case was bitterly contested all the way through. Robbins & Wyant represented the defendent.

APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE VISITING HOSPITAL

The State Appropriation committee from Harrisburg, is visiting the Monongahela hospital today, having arrived there about noon and the members of the party took dinner at the hospital.

Monongahela is asking this year an appropriation of $43,200 and as the State committee has already recommended $40,000 for this institution, there is only a difference of $3,200 to be adjusted by the appropriations committee.

The committee came up to the Monesen-Charleroi hospital at 3 o'clock this afternoon and were met by the local board. Monessen asks for $8,000 for maintenance and $7,000 for building purposes, and an effort will be made to get the committee to do the best possible for the local institution.

POOL MATCH THIS EVENING

The pool match scheduled for last night at the Olympic parlor between Harry Lebowitz and Joe O'Toole was postponed on account of the absence of the latter from town. However the game will be played this evening and something quite interesting is looked for, as O'Toole is considered an expert with the cue and he will no doubt give Lebowitz a lively chase.

"Life's Shop Window" in five reels, at the Olympic today. alt

San Tox Greaseless cream, 25c at Kirk's.

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"Kantleek" rubber goods, sold on a two year guarantee at Kirk's drug stores.

SOME CITIZENS WANT A CHANGE MADE IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The following petition was presented to the council last night which is self explanatory. Whether or not council wishes according to the provisions of the Clark third class city act, it must appprove and proceed at once to hold a special election to ascertain the wishes of the voters with regard to the change of government. Several of the councilmen have expressed themselves as unfriendly to the movement at this time, not alone because the Clark bill has not yet been given a fair test by any borough that changed its form of government, but on account of plunging the town into a special election at this time.

But whatever the outcome should be council is in no wise to blame for any expense that is thrust upon the taxpayers by a test to ascertain the wishes of the voters. If the men who have signed their names imposing a duty of this character upon the council, have studied the Clark bill and are familiar with it, and if they knowingly petition for a government that is far more expensive of operation and approve the change with a full consideration of everything embodied in the change, knowing that the burgess, tax collector and all the other officials are ripped out of office and knowing that the entire system is to be changed, then the petitioners and not the public officials are responsible for the change.

We publish today the petition with the names of the petitioners so that the public may have full knowledge that there is a movement to wipe out our present form of government. The petition follows:

To the Honorable Charles S. Shrader, President and Members of the Council of the Borough of Monessen.

Gentlemen:—

By virtue of an Act of Assembly approved July 7, 1913, (P. P. page 694) a borough having a population of at least ten thousand inhabitants, according to the preceding Federal census, is enabled on conformity with the provisions of said act, to become incorporated into a city of the third class.

In pursuance to the provisions of said Act of Asembly, we, your petitioners, qualified electors of the borough of Monessen, repsectfully request your Honorable Council to pass a resolution providing for the submission to the vote of the qualified electors of said Borough whether the borough of Monessen shall or shall not become incorporated as a city of the third class.

And we will ever pray, etc.

(Signed):—

Benjamin F. Bungard, A. T. Russell,

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HAS HONOR OF BEING THE 300th PRISONER

Another honor has been unexpectedly thrust upon Monessen. Alexander Hembonetz, a laborer 25 years old, was the 300th prisoner admitted to the county jail last evening. He was committed to prison by Squire A. N. Shuster on a charge made by Constable A. J. Smith for carrying concealed weapons. Alex was not aware of the fact that 299 prisoners had been admitted this year before him, but he was rather tame when he discovered that gun toting is frowned upon by the court.

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131 DONNER MONESSEN

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Craig's Drug Store
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A WORD ABOUT YOUR EXECUTOR

This company is empowered by law to receive trust moneys. Executors depositing such funds with this company are absolved by law from responsibility as to loss. Being entirely removed from every speculative venture—it is better fitted to act as executor and to administer trusts than is the private individual.

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MONESSEN, PA.

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7 room house and bath	$30.00
6 room house and bath	25.00
5 room flat and bath	26.00
4 room flat and bath	20.00
5 room flat and bath	20.00
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4 room flat and bath steam heat	25.00

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PREPARE FOR THE FLY

National. state and local health authorities in all parts of the United States are urging upon the public to get ready to "swat the fly." With the advent of March, medical experts tell us that the fly begins his deadly work, which will be continued throughout the summer, unless prompt action is taken to cut down the number of these annoying and pesky things. The sure way to have less flies is for everybody to begin to clean up about their premises at the first sign of spring. This will remove the breeding place for flies, and will add much to the comfort of the people during the hot weather.

It is not only the annoyance the flies give in the summer that the health authorities urge that attention be given to lessening their number, but for the reason that they carry disease. They can communicate almost any of the well known contagious diseases, according to the medical profession.

It is none too early for the people of Monessen to get busy and clean up the dirt and filth that always remains following the breaking up of winter weather. The alleys, back yards, around the outhouses and all buildings should be given attention at this time and the ground about them thoroughly cleaned. It is a good time to start housecleaning both inside and out. Many people clean on the inside of their homes and never think of the land on the outside . until after the flies have had the opportunity of breeding by the millions.

A BAD LAW

Aside from showing the great influence the women have and the keeping of a lot of lazy husbands in jail for periods of six months, we cannot see much good a law just passed by the Legislature of Indiana is to accomplish. The law is designated as a "Lazy Husband Law." It was passed at the instance of the women, so that men who are too indolent to work to provide a home, food and clothing for their wives and children can be punished. But will the punishment fit the crime? The fellow who is so indifferent to the care and happiness of his little children to say nothing of his wife, who will permit them to go without food, will care nothing for a vacation of six months in the state prison, where possibly he will get better attention and food than many men get the outside.

What the law should have provided for is imprisonment at hard labor, from which the state and the family of the lazy husband could get some benefits. The present provisions of the law are simply a fine not exceeding six months, or the payment of a fine or both. The results of this new legislation, however, will be watched with a good deal of interest over the country by all women who are forced into circumstances of want and suffering by lazy husbands.

Indiana should work the stone pile or road building scheme, as the Fayette county commissioners are to do after April 1st.

Brute strength is the cheapest thing on the market. The man who goes through the world on the amount of brute strength he can register, is not known very far for a high degree of intelligence. Brains and spirit are the strongest factors in the makeup of the human family. Never be afraid of a bully, for he's always a moral coward.

President Wilson has given some good advice about this country keeping out of the European war, but he'd better keep an eye to those vessels loaded with foodstuffs and sailing on the high seas. This is supposed to be a neutral country, and there may come a time to feed the teeming millions of unfortunates of the war.

Mrs. Hiram Johnson. wife of the governor of California, was robbed of a bolt of silk and two boxes of candy in San Francisco last Saturday. But the governor says he belongs to the people and what belongs to him must also belong to the people. and a man can take his own property, can't he? Progresive logic. see?

President Wilson probably had little expectation of the stirring incidents the world was going to witness during his administration or the peculiar trials to which he would be exposed, when he accepted the Democratic nomination. But he does not seem to be very greatly worried over the problems he is now facing.

It will do no harm to bring to pass an educational campaign in connection with the effort to secure the enactment of local option. On the contrary it might do good.

George W. Perkins declares he is going to continue a Bull Moose even if nobody else does; and no doubt he will find it less expensive than when there are none.

The fire one kindles intended for an enemy very often burns the person who kindles it worse than the one for whom it was intended.

Former President Taft may not be much of a politician but he is one of our largest size statesmen.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework, high wages to a girl able to take charge. Apply 613 Crest avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 23-3tp

WANTED—Five salesmen for Pennsylvania, capable of earning $125 or more per month. Compensation limited only by ability of the man. Doan Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 1tp

WANTED—Work by a woman, will do general housework or washings. Address X, care this office. 21-3tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT —Three unfurnished rooms, with bath; inquire 658 Reed avenue. 24-3tp

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath. Inquire 44 Aliquippa street. 24-3tp

FOR RENT—New house, five rooms and bath, good locality. Duvall & Duvall Agency. 24-3t

TO LET—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Use of bath and porch. Rent $10. Inquire No. 220 McKee avenue. 23-3tp

FOR RENT—Six room house with both, newly painted and papered throughout. Ninth street, rent $20. Duvall & Duvall. 21-tf

FOR RENT—Two 5-room flats in Meyers' building. Inquire Steen & Dils. 20-3t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Match team horses, two horse road wagon, harness, pony, buggy and harness, gas range, large new dining table. All must be sold by March 20. Arretas Johnson, 1060 Highland avenue. 24-6tp

FOR SALE—Go cart at 432 McKee avenue. 23-3tp

FOR SALE —Corsets made to order in all styles, guaranteed not to rust or break. Sadie Jones, Jones building, Sixth and Donner. 24-3tp

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4 ROOMS, BATH	$15.00
4 ROOMS, BATH	$18.00

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Ordinance No. 311

AN ORDINANCE providing for a tax on certain licenses herein specified in the Borough of Monessen, upon all persons, firms or corporations engaged in the business of huckstering of all farm or garden products, hawking or peddling of all household furnishings, clothing and wearing apparel of every description, jewelry, linens, taking of pictures, pop corn and peanut wagons, milk, meat, ice cream, bread or any other article of merchandise or commerce not herein expressly enumerated. Novelties of all kinds, a commision and forwarding agent or merchandise broker, auctioneers, a pawn broker, steam ferries, shooting gallery, bowling alley or ten pin alley, a broker to buy, sell or offer for sale or exchange certificates of state bank debts, stocks of any bank or incorporated company, notes of any kind, gold, silver, silver coin, drafts, bills of exchange, bonds of any kind, circus, side show, boat show, an equestrian menagerie, exhibition or show of any character under a tent, to exhibit wire or rope walking, dancing, jugging or tricks of legerdemain, fortune tellers, walking exhibitions, running matches, horse races, foot racing, boxing or sparring match, gift entertainment, theatrical entertainment or performances, or opera, concert, musical party, reading, lecture, wax figures, museum, paintings panoramas or statuary exhibition, amusement, entertainment, ball, dance, wedding, picnic, skating rink, lifting machine, yankee-boy, electrical or galvanic test machine, blowing machine, slot weighing machines, merchandise vending machines, for all vaudeville performances, nickelodeons, moving pictures, drugs, patent medicines, snakes, lizzards, providing for the issuing of said licenses, the collection of the taxes or licenses thereon; and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of said ordinance, and repealing all ordinances heretofore enacted by said Borough in any manner relating to the business herein specified in said Borough.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Monessen, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION I

Hawking and Peddling of Farm and Garden Products

That any person, firm or corporation desiring to engage in the business of Hawking and Peddling. selling or offering for sale or to solicit orders to be consummated within three days, by foot. wagon or other conveyance. of farm or garden produce such as potatoes. cabbage, berries, oranges, bananas. apples or any other article grown on farm or garden not herein expressly enumerated, whether the same be their own or their agents or principals whom they represent or in any other capacity whatsoever, within the limits of the Borough. shall before beginning to sell, pay to the Borough Clerk of said Borough, and for the use of said Borough, a license fee for the time during which such person, firm or corporation so desires to engage in said business, in said Borough, in the amount respectively as follows. to wit: For one day the sum of one dollar; for one week of six secular days, the sum of Six Dollars; for one month. the sum of fifteen dollars; for three months the sum of twenty dollars; for six months. the sum of thirty dollars, and for one year, the sum of fifty dollars. This ordinance does not apply to farmers who raise and sell their own produce.

SECTION II

Hawking and Peddling Household Goods and Wearing Apparel

That any person, firm or Corporation desiring to sell or offer for sale. to solicit orders to be consummated within three days by foot. wagon or any other conveyance. or furniture. carpets, clocks, jewelry, rugs. dishes. table linen, fancy work. men's wearing apparel. ladies' wearing apparel, drugs, patent medicines. eye glasses, taking of photographs, enlargement of pictures or any other article which is furnished in a home or to make up the wardrobe of a man or woman not herein expressly enumerated, whether the same be their own or their principals or agents whom they represent or in any other capacity whatsoever, within the limits of the Borough. shall pay to the Borough Clerk of said Borough a license fee for the time during which such person. firm or corporation so desires to engage in said business. in said Borough, in the amount respectively as follows. to wit: For one day. the sum of three dollars; for one month. the sum of twenty five dollars; for six months. the sum of forty dollars; for one year. the sum of seventy five dollars.

SECTION III

Peddling Meats, Milk .Ice Cream. Bread. Pies, Etc.

That any person, firm or corporation desiring to sell or offer for sale or solicit orders to be consummated within three days of all kinds of meats. sea food. milk. ice cream. bread. pies. or any other article of merchandise or commerce of a similar nature and not herein expressly enumerated. whether the same be their own or their principals or agents whom they represent or in any other capacity whatsoever. within the limits of the Borough. shall take out a permit and pay a license therefor. for the time which such person. firm or corporation desires to engage in such business. in the amount respectfully as follows. to wit: For one day. fifty cents; for one month. five dollars :for six months. fifteen dollars; for one year. the sum of twenty five dollars.

SECTION IV

Lunch Stands. Peanut Stands. Fruit Stands. etc.

Any person. firm or corporation desiring to set up a lunch stand. fruit stand. peanut stand or wagon or any other similar affair. where any street. lane. alley. open court or park may be utilized for the purpose of carrying on their business. shall take out a permit for same and pay a license fee of one dollar per day. or a license fee of twenty five dollars per year for each stand or wagon so placed. The Burgess. Chief of Police or Borough clerk reserves the right to refuse any and all permits under this section, and in any event should a permit be issued to any person or persons, the Burgess, Chief of Police, ordinance officer or any police officer shall designate the location where such stand or wagon shall be located.

SECTION V

Novelties

Any person or persons wishing to engage in the business of selling novelties of any description, shall take out a permit for same and pay a license fee of one dollar per day. But in no event will be permitted to utilize any street or portion of street to carry on their business.

SECTION VI

Ball Rack, Striking Machine, Etc.

Any person, firm or corporation wishing to carry on the business of a ball rack, pitching rings, throwing at negro heads, striking machine, bird show, snake show, weighing machine and shows or exhibitions of a similar character before engaging in said business shall first take out a license for same and pay a license fee of not less than one dollar per day nor more than ten dollars per day, discretion to be left to the Chief Burgess and Borough Clerk what the fee shall be to any person wishing a permit for same and in no event will a permit be issued to any person or persons who are under the influence of intoxicants of any kind.

SECTION VII

A Commission, Forwarding Agent or Merchandise Broker

Any person, firm or corporation wishing to engage in the business as a Commission and forwarding agent or a merchandise broker, shall take out a permit therefor, and pay a license fee of twenty five ($25.00) Dollars per annum.

SECTION VIII

Auctioneer

Any person wishing to engage in the business of auctioneering goods, wares, merchandise of any nature, horses, cattle or any other business, shall take out a permit and pay a license tax of Two dollars per day, fifteen dollars per calander month or one hundred dollars per year. Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to apply to persons or firms regularly in business for the space of three months within the Borough who may desire to sell out their stock of goods to retire from business or reduce stock, or a constable or a sheriff in the performance of his duties.

SECTION IX

Pawn Broker

Any person or persons wishing to engage in the business of a pawn broker shall take out a permit for same and pay a license fee of fifty ($50.00) Dollars per annum.

SECTION X

Steam Ferry

Every person or persons operating a steam ferry landing regularly within the limits of the Borough of Monessen, shall take a permit for same and pay a license tax of twenty five ($25.00) Dollars per year.

SECTION XI

Shooting Gallery

Every person or persons conducting a shooting gallery within the limits of the Borough shall take out a license and pay a license tax of ten ($10.00) Dollars per annum.

SECTION XII

Broker

Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business known as a Broker to buy, sell or offer for sale or exchange certificates of state bank debts, stocks of any bank or incorporated company, notes of any kind, gold, silver, silver coin, drafts. bills of exchange, bonds of any kind, or personal property, except merchandise shall take out a permit therefore and pay a license fee of Twenty Five ($25.00) Dollars per annum.

SECTION XIII

Circus or Wild West Show

Every person, firm or corporation desiring to exhibit a circus under a canvas or tent, an equestrian menagerie, or what is known as a wild west show or any other circus, show or exhibition of like character, when the price of admission for adults is fifty ($.50) Cents. or over, a license tax of fifty ($50.00) Dollars per day shall be charged; when the price of admission for adults is twenty ($.25) cents, a license tax of twenty five ($25.00) Dollars per day shall be charged; when the price of admission for adults is fifteen ($.15) cents, a license tax of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars per day shall be charged; when the price of admission for adults is Ten ($.10) cents a license tax of Ten ($10.00) Dollars per day shall be charged. To exhibit a side show traveling with a circus or menagerie or what is known as a wild west show, or shows or exhibitions of a like character. a license tax of Ten ($10.00) Dollars per day shall be charged. Upon a license to exhibit wire or rope walking, dancing. juggling or tricks of Legerdemain, walking, exhibitions. running matches by men or boys on foot. horse races, or bicycle races, a license fee of Ten ($10.00) Dollars per day.

SECTION XIV

Boxing or Sparing Matches, or Gift Entertainment

Any person or persons wishing to hold a boxing or sparring match shall take out a permit and pay a license fee of Twenty five ($25.00) Dollars per day.

Any person or persons conducting a gift entertainment for similar purposes shall take out a permit and pay a license fee of Twenty five ($25.00) Dollars per day.

SECTION XV

Theatricals, Operas and Nickelodeons and Moving Pictures

That any person, firm or company or corporation desiring to give theatrical entertainments, moving pictures, opera, exhibitions or to exhibit any play or show within the limits of the Borough of Monessen, Westmoreland county, Pennsylvania, shall first obtain a permit from the Borough Clerk to do so and the fees or license tax to be paid under this section shall be as follows to wit:

For each performance of a free street or open air show, the sum of one ($1.00) Dollar per day for each performance.

For all nickelodeons, moving pictures, vaudeville and performances of that class, where the admission fee does not exceed ten (10) cents the sum of one ($1.00) dollar per day; five dollars ($5.00) per week; ten ($10.00) per month; of Fifty ($50.00) per year, shall be charged. For all Nickelodeons, moving pictures, vaudeville and performances of that class where the admission fee exceeds ten (10) cents, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50) Dollars per day; Six ($6.00) Dollars per week; Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars per month or Sixty ($60.00) Dollars per year shall be charged. For an opera house a fee of seventy five ($75.00) Dollars per year be charged. This section shall not apply to plays or shows given strictly for a charitable, education, benevolent or religious purpose.

SECTION XVI

Exhibition, Concert, Musical Party, Reading. Lecture, Wax Figures, Museum, Paintings, Panoramas, Montebank or Statuary, Etc.

Every person or persons desiring to exhibit a concert, musical party, reading, lectures. wax figures, museum, paintings, panoramas, montebanks, or statuary when the price of admission is twenty five cents or less, Two ($2.00) Dollars per day. When the price of admission is more than twenty five cents, and not more than fifty cents, Five ($5.00) Dollars per day; when the price of admission is over fifty cents, Eight ($8.00) Dollars per day.

SECTION XVII

Show, Exhibition, Entertainment, Ball or Picnic

That every person, firm or corporation, desiring to engage or hold an entertainment. show, exhibition, ball, dance or picnic where an admission fee is charged, shall take out a permit therefor and pay a license fee of one dollar ($1.00) per day; Ten ($10.00) Dollars per month; Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars per quarter or three months; or Twenty Five ($25.00) Dollars per year. Provided, however, the Burgess may refuse to issue a permit under this section if he deems that there might be trouble, or place a policeman in charge to maintain order and should the Burgess or Chief of Police deem best to place a policeman at the place or places where the said entertainment, show, exhibition, picnic, dance or ball then the license fee shall be Five ($5.00) Dollars for each day, Four ($4.00) Dollars going to the patrolman for his service.

SECTION XVIII

Skating Rink.

That any person, firm or corporation wishing to conduct a Skating Rink when used for skating purposes only. shall take out a permit for same and pay a license tax of forty ($40.00) Dollars per year. Provided, however, that churches, schools, benevolent associations, volunteer fire companies and military companies shall not be required to pay such tax.

SECTION XIX

Lifting Machine. Yankee-Boy, Electrical or Galvanic Test Machine. Weighing Machines or Similar Devices

That every person or persons wishing to conduct or operate a lifting machine, yankee boy, electrical or galvanic test machine, blowing machine, weighing machine, or other device or invention for testing the skill, the endurance or the strength or for affording entertainment or amusement for the use or view of which money is charged, shall take out a permit therefor and pay a license tax of two ($2.00) per day or Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars per year.

SECTION XX

Slot Weighing Machine

That every person or persons owning and operating a slot weighing machine, shall take out a permit and pay a license fee therefor in the sum of Two ($2.00) Dollars per year.

SECTION XXI

Merchandise Vending Machine

That every person, firm or corporation owning and operating a merchandise vending machine and devices operated or set in motion by the insertion of a coin or disc. shall take out a permit therefor and pay a license tax of Fifty ($.50) Cents per year for each and every machine requiring the insertion of one cent; for each and every machine requiring the insertion of Five cents or more, a license tax of two ($2.00) Dollars per annum. Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to automatic collection devices used in connection with telephones or gas meters, nor for the purpose of exhibiting in any manner any immoral pictures or printed matter or any device or machine used for the purpose of gambling.

SECTION XXII

The license taxes herein provided shall be levied. collected and paid in addition to any license tax or license or taxes payable on the same subject or matter to the County of Westmoreland or state of Pennsylvania.

SECTION XXIII

Upon the payment to the Borough of Monessen of any of the above specified license fees. the Borough Clerk is hereby directed to issue a permit to the person. firm or corporation so paying such license fee, which permit will entitle such person. firm or corporation to engage in the business aforesaid within the limits of said Borough for and during the time for which the amount of money so paid as aforesaid would under the schedule of rates as fixed in sections 1. 2, 3. 4. 5, 6, 7, 8. 9, 10. 11, 12. 13. 14. 15, 16. 17, 18, 19. 20. 21 and 22 hereof, entitles such person. firm or corporation to do, subject however. to all the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION XXIV

All persons exercising the privileges of this ordinance. shall. while enjoying the same and whether he is acting for himself. or for the firm of corporation of which he is an agent, officer or employe, have on his person, to be exhibited when called for by any officer of the Borough for the purpose of inspection, the permit herein provided for, and not more than one vehicle shall be used in the exercise of said privileges under any one permit.

SECTION XXV

No permit issued to an individual in pursuance of this ordinance shall entitle any person to engage in the business mentioned in this ordinance in said Borough, thereunder, other than the person paying the license fee therefor, and whose name appears thereon.

SECTION XXVI

The term "FIRM" as used in this ordinance is intended and shall be construed to mean, an association of two or more persons engaged in the various businesses mentioned in this ordinance, in said Borough, and the interests of each person in said firm being that of a bonafide partner.

SECTION XXVII

Where the permit provided by this ordinance is issued to a firm or corporation, such permit shall be issued in the name of the firm or corporation paying for the same; but in each such case, said permit shall have endorsed thereon the name of the member of the firm or the officer, agent or employe of the corporation, who shall conduct the business for such firm or corporation under the permit issued therefor, and no person other than the person whose name is so endorsed thereon shall conduct said business for such firm or corporation under that permit.

SECTION XXVIII

Any person, firm or corporation who caries about on foot, or in a vehicle or vehicles of any kind whatsoever and sells or offers for sale, or by taking orders to be consummated within three days, from door to door, and within the limits of said Borough, any market produce, or any article of merchandise or commerce whatever, and whether the same be his, theirs, or its own, or his, their or its principals, is hereby declared to be engaged in the business of hawking and peddling within the meaning of this ordinance.

SECTION XXIX

That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any bowling alley, billiard room, pool room, public dance, or dance hall, or public amusement house and room where admission is charged, to be operated, run or kept open for business between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 7:00 o'clock a. m.

SECTION XXX

It is hereby made the duty of the police, ordinance officer and constables of said Borough to enforce the provisions of this ordinance and for that purpose they are hereby given the power to dmeand of any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business specified in this ordinance within the limits of said Borough, to produce for inspection, the permits required by this ordinance and to apprehend and arrest on view, and either with or without warrant, all persons, firms or corporations engaged in any of the businesses mentioned in this ordinance in said Borough in violation of this ordinance and to cause such persons, firms or corporations to be brought to trial by due process of law.

SECTION XXXI

That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof before the Burgess or any Justice of the Peace in said county or Borough, shall be fined for each and every offense and for the use of the said Borough in a sum not less than Five ($5.00) Dollars and not to exceed One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars and costs of prosecution, and in default of the payment of such fine and costs, shall be confined in the Borough lockup for a period not exceeding five days, or in the county jail not exceeding thirty days.

SECTION XXXII

That ordinance number seven (7) relating to theatrical entertainments, play, opera, circus, riding, feats of horsemanship, menagerie, panorama, painting, sculpture, curiosity show, legerdemain. party, concert shows etc., approved Dec. 15, 1898, Ordinance number eleven (11) relating to hawking and peddling, approved Dec. 15, 1898. Ordinance number twenty four (24) relating to auctioneers, approved April 5. 1900, Ordinance number thirty five (35) relating to hawking and peddling, approved June 23, 1900, and Ordinance number eighty three (83) relating to hawking and peddling, approved June 25, 1902, in said Borough, and all other ordinances in any manner relating thereto, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an Ordinance the 10th day of February, A. D., 1915.

Charles S. Shrader.
President of Council.

Attest:—
J. E. Pittman,
Borough Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this 17th day of February, A. D., 1915.

A. G. Dunlap,
Chief Burgess.

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CONDUCTORS ON EXCESS CREWS

Experienced Men Assert That Over-Manning of Trains is Bad Practice.

Rockaway, N. J., March 1.

Not a few railroad trainmen are taking open position for repeal of the extra crew, or "excess man crew" laws. With forty-two years' experience as a passenger train conductor on the New Jersey Central Railroad, Samuel A. Crook, widely known among railroad men in the northern part of this state, says the "excess" man is a hindrance rather than a help in efficient train operation.

"I am very much opposed to the law," says this veteran conductor. "Two brakemen I always considered sufficient, as I could get more effective work from two than I could from a larger crew. There is not enough work to keep a larger number busy.

"We never had an accident at a depot and the passengers always were accorded first class service, despite the fact that my trains sometimes contained as many as seven coaches. I will use my influence with my representatives to give Mr. 'Full Crew' a black eye whenever I can."

Concerning the "excess man crew" in freight service, a Pennsylvania Railroad conductor says:

"My many years' service with the company as conductor on freight trains convinced me, as it would any reasonable thinking man, of the uselessness of such a law and of the excess men for which it provides. Being personally acquainted with our Representative, I shall do all I can to make plain to him the absurdity of the law."

COKE WORKERS ON CREW LAWS

Believe Repeal Would Give Stimulous to Trade Revival

Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 27.

Discussion of the repeal of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Full Crew Laws is daily growing warmer here. It is a foregone conclusion, according to men who know what they are talking about, that the wiping out of these laws means greater activity in the coke regions.

It is asserted that when the railroads can apply the $2,000,000 now paid annually to extra trainmen, for whom the railroads have no need, to making necessary improvements and in buying additional equipment, a perceptible expansion of business is to be expected, and this coming especially in the steel regions, would cause more coke ovens to be fired.

It is significant of the trend of public opinion here that many who, a few weeks ago, argued that the Full Crew Laws were just, now are beginning to take a different view, and it is confidently predicted that, because of the heavy pressure now being brought to bear upon the members of the legislature by the people, that these laws soon must meet the fate of a similar measure in Missouri, which, submitted to popular vote, was repealed by a two to one majority.

NO TIME WASTED

Prompt Action is Pleasing Many Monessen Citizens

Get down to the cause of everything.

Bad backs are frequently caused by weak kidneys.

Help the kidneys to get rid of kidney backache.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kidneys only.

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Monessen people endorse their merits.

Mrs. McCleary, 256 Sixth street, Monessen, says: "One of the family was bothered by sharp pains in the small of the back which often extended into the shoulders. After stooping it was hard to regain an erect position and often the pains almost took this one's breath away. Headaches were almost constant and black spots floated before the eyes. A number of medicines failed to bring help and Doan's Kidney Pills were finally procured at the Hirsch Drug Co. The first box brought relief and three boxes made a cure."

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FUNERAL OF JOS. ROLEY WAS TODAY

The funeral of Joseph T. Roley of Belle Vernon, killed in an automobile accident, was held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and was largely attended.

Deceased met death about 1 o'clock Tuesday morning when his auto turned turtle at Hopwood, near Uniontown and the remains were brought to Belle Vernon Tuesday afternoon and prepared for burial.

Roley died from a broken neck when caught beneath the car in which he and Miss Bertha Jones of Uniontown had been riding, he having been in Uniontown as a court juror for this week and just bought the auto on Monday.

Roley was a member of the firm of Vance & Roley, automobile dealers, and was in a dodge car when the accident happened He was a son of the late Squire Richard Roley and his mother, Mrs. Hannah J. Roley, five sisters and one brother survive. The brother is W. H. Roley of Belle Vernon and the sisters are Mrs. A. C. Sphar of Maple Creek, Mrs. Charles Reed of Pittsburg, Mrs. Oscar Brawdy of Belle Vernon, Miss Jennie L. Roley and Miss Jessie Roley of Belle Vernon.

Gazing silently at the box containing the coffin in which the body of her companion of the fatal automobile joy ride of the night before, Bertha Jones stood in front of the J. Harry Johnston & Son morgue Tuesday morning as the remains were being placed in an undertaker's wagon, preparatory to being shipped to his home in Belle Vernon The girl had been released from the Uniontown hospital where she had been taken after the accident and had gone to the Johnston undertaking rooms to view the remains of her companion in the wild ride over the mountain roads. She arived too late, as the casket had been boxed and was to be shipped on the train leaving for Belle Vernon at 11:13 o'clock.

A short time later the girl went to the Penn barber shop and resumed her duties as manicurist. The girl went to Uniontown two months ago to take care of the manicuring in the Penn shop from Pittsburgh.

Marks on the roadside where the accident occurred, give tragic evidence to the ride's abrupt ending. For perhaps 100 yards the road is marked where Roley had evidently applied the brakes while traveling at a swift pace.

Scattered ties show the force with which the machine struck a pile of pit posts, which lay along the road, while a bruised bowlder tells of the machine hitting its side.

A remarkable feature of the occurence was the fact that the machine, which was a Dodge, when righted, was still able to run. It was driven into town by Mr. Donahue of the Standard Garage sales force, without assistance.

The front axle had been badly bent, front lights torn, all of the hood and windshield smashed. while one of the ties had pierced the floor of the car, splintering it.

Coroner Harry J. Bell will set a date for an inquest upon his return from Philadelphia.

ARREST FOR PLACING GARBAGE IN A DITCH

Health Officer Clendennon arrested Mrs. Rosy Underbarger of Seneca street for throwing refuse in the Seneca street ditch. The women plead ignorance of the law, but had neglected to remove the stuff when the officer served notice upon her. The burgess administered a fine of $3.50 but this was reduced upon a poverty plea to $1.50 which was paid.

Isadore Burstein came here from Pittsburgh to peddle. He had two packs and walked down Schoonmaker to Seneca street where he entered a house. Commissioner Frazier saw him and investigated as to whether or not he had a license. He replied in the negative and he was arrested and brought to the lockup. A friend put up a forfeit and this morning Burnstein was fined $5.00 and costs and not having the money he was sentenced to jail for three days. He plead hard and long but his pleadings had no effect. He was the first man to be arrested under the new hucksters and peddlers law, which fixes drastic penalties for all transcient retail merchants.

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Local Notes

Miss Hazel Rue of Monongahela, spent last evening with friends here.

"Life's Shop Window" in five reels, at the Olympic today. alt

Noah Cook, steward of the Moose club, was a business caller in the city today.

"The Wandering Jew" at the Luna next Monday, in four parts. Don't miss it, it's great. 24-3t

Mrs. J. F. Butler and daughters Lenora and Mary of Pricedale were Pittsburgh visitors today.

North Charleroi tax payers will have to pay 15 mills tax this year instead of 13 as last year. The increase was made to meet improvement funds.

Miss Margaret Caffery of Morgan avenue, who has made Monessen her home for some time, left this morning for McKeesport where she will locate in the future.

Denms McCahill of Schoonmaker avenue, is the proud possessor of a new seven passenger Haines automobile purchased yesterday through the J. P. Sloterbeck & Son agency of Fayette City.

Mrs F. E. Shutterly of Knox avenue, entertained a few of the neighboring children yesterday afternoon in honor of the sixth birth anniversary of her son Frank. Games were played and a general good time had by the youngsters. A lunch was served.

CHILD WELFARE WORK

Pittsburgh, Pa, March 4—The Mothers' Pension League of Allegheny county has made the announcement in Pennsylvania that educators and advocates of mothers' pensions will hold a convention at the Panama-Pacific exposition, San Francisco, July 20, 21 and 22 to 22 to devise ways and means for extending the pension system in connection with the public schools of the various states. The Mothers' Pension League will have an important part in the conference.

More than $10,000,000 will be disbursed this year for Mothers' Pensions. In many states the management is now in the hands of juvenile courts and this gives the flavor of criminality and charity to the work of abolishing child-poverty. Judge Henry Neil of Chicago has proposed that the work be placed in the hands of the public school system which is not a charity and the pension system is not charity. This proposal has met with wide approval among educators and sociologists and the arangement for the national conference at San Francisco are the results.

"This conference will bring nearer the day when all children will be properly cared for, regardless of the folly or wisdom, the virtue or vice of their fathers" says Judge Neil. "We require that all children go to school regardles of their fathers' ability, or lack of ability and so we must see that all children are fed, clothed, sheltered, schooled and cared for by their own mothers. This plan will reduce the taxes by reducing the number of policemen, jails, institutions, asylums and courts which are increasing constantly now to take care of the product of child poverty. Children are naturally fine human beings, but poveray and the blight of charity ruins them and makes them undesirable citizens. The Mothers' Pension system by abolishing child poverty will save billions of dollars to the tax payers of this nation."

SPORTS

Wednesday's Uniontown Genius said: "With the assistance of Frank O'Neal, Marney Keener and Earl Dresbach, three Uniontown duckpin players, the Monessen bowlers defeated the McKeesport "ducksters" touted to be the best in the world, in the five man event on the McKeesport alleys last night, thus cleaning up a nice roll of the "filthy lucre." In the doubles ONeal rolled a total of 397 pins while Briggs, his partner, dropped to 320, the McKeesporters winning by a few pins. Briggs also lost the singles to McKeesport, but the Monessen-Uniontown team came back with a vengeance in the five man events, winning by 126 pins.

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Peoples Forum.

This column is devoted to the expression of the opinion of our readers and in no wise denotes the paper's opinion on or sympathy with any question involved.

Dear Sir:—

To Whom it may Concern:—

We are having a little excitement up here again and I thought I would let you know about it before warm weather sets in.

There's a big ditch running down through my yard and there's a steady drain of dirty stinking water comes right down along side of my house, giving only a little room to pass. The water comes from the hill, from cow stables and all such dirty places. And it smells, it would knock down even a dog in the summer time.

When it rains hard, water comes down all over the lot and gets under the house and the cellar gets full. Last summer my little girl three years old fell in this ditch, and at first I thought she was drowned. It's an awful dirty place and I don't see why the council don't take care of such a place.

This isn't the first time I have complained about it. I had the health officer up here a half dozen times and he only said, "tell Frazier" and Frazier said they would lay a sewer in the alley, and care would be taken of our place. Now the sewer is laid in the alley, but it's only laid for a few houses. Why couldn't they put a trap there and it would cut the water from coming down on my property. instead of putting a trap in front of my house. The idea of putting a dirty stinking hole like that in front of my door. It's a shame.

The water brings tin cans down, and they all stop right there, and then of course we have to pay the garbage man to haul them away. The health officer don't come around any more. It's his place to report to the councilmen and care should be taken.

I lived in Charleroi seven years, but if Mr. Darby, of the board of health, didn't make things shine there, nobody ever did. Some board of health we have here, I say. Monessen is known as the garbage dump all along the valley. So why don't you head officers act, act now? I'm sure I can't nor my neighbor, if you don't. It's up to all of you and I'm sure you can do it, if you only try. I think the cow stables up here ought to be kept in a better condition or ought not to be kept at all.

So now, Mr. Dunlap, what are you going to do about it? Come up and take a look at my place and you'll say "I wouldn't stand for this myself."

Something has to be done or suit will be brought against the borough.

Mrs. S. Shina.
636 McMahan Ave.
City.

Considerable Business Transacted Last Night

(continued from first page)

Hunter and Cartwright were appointed as a special committee to inquire into the matter and make a report at the next council meeting.

Frank Bumer of the finance committee, presented a resolution asking that a loan of $5,000 be executed to take care of bills payable. The resolution was adopted.

Burgess Dunlap asked for the approval of police regulations and submitted a carefully prepared set which were approved by council. The reports of the burgess and treasurer were read and approved.

Three ordinances were read on third reading for the change of grade on Donner avenue and Eleventh street. There was some contention about the change of the grade and it was up for final action last night with the word of the council that it would be passed affirmatively if the Pittsburgh Steel wanted the change. The company did not care to go on record as making it an improvement for the plant and the ordinances were voted down by a vote or seven to two.

A. W. Johns, engineer, reported that Axel Rutti will settle his damage suit for change of grade at actual cost to him which amounts to about $386.00. The engineer and roads committee were instructed to view the premises again and make a report.

The finance budget was approved and the fixing of eleven mills approved. Council adjourned until the evening of March 10th.

CHAIRS NEEDED

Any person having old chairs that they would care to donate to the Salvation army to be used in the Army hall, will confer a favor by notifying Capt. Ives.

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Some Citizens Want Change of Government

(Continued from First Page.)

Joe Wheatley, W. W. Smallwood, Alfred Bamford, John G. Allen, Daniel Reamer, August Kaspare, Jr., W. A. Darrah, A. L. Arner, J. L. Rifenberick, Goodloe H. Thomas, Wm. F. Reiner, H. E. M. Steiner, James V. Conti, James F. Kelly, John F. Stuart, J. A. Black, Wm. Watkins, D. C. Farquhar, J. H. Wagner. Emanuel Feldman, John A. Tanttari. John Winta, J. Bornstein, Jacob Peters, James H. Griben, H. F. Rinehart, Lorrin Caller, H. N. Odbert, G. M. Mitchell, M. C. Marker, C. A. Light, Jacob Moyers, W. S. Robins, J. E. Cook, D. R. Rogers, G. A. Beery, P. P. Bush, Max Shapiro, G. B. Guist, George A. Dean, J. C. West, G. H. Steiner, R. V. Laughman, C. M Smith, J. M. Beall, John Huggins, Earl P. Dugan, C. E. Bell, T. S. LaForte, J. M. Jamieson, S. K. Lemand, Wm. Cook, George S. Bowes, James Hutchinson, Ernest Suatteri, John Hick, M. A. Crawford, Wm. Alexander, J. A. Lohman, E. L. Seaton, Ross Shepard, Reinbold Beckman, Arch C. Shrader, Lorenzo Alspach, George Shuma, Tom B. Cowan, Joseph Albert, John Menefee, E. M. Moyer, Robert McKelvie, Jr., Chas. M. McBride, Gust Reabe, John Nevenpera, C. W. Morris, Samuel Meyers, W. R. Motz, George Brandis, Peter Skurkey, Chris Fohl, W. J. Harris, J. S. Garman, J. C. F. Motz, Samuel Weiss, J. A. Repert, Sebastiano Sbrocco, Peter Americo, Luigi Campana, Geo. S. Cooper, Meyer Meyers, Henry Cramer, Hary Lebowitz, H. C. Horner, Emil Pasto, W. B. Stewart, Mike Joseph, W. F. Williams, M. Brigenti, W. J. Williams, J. C. Hampton. Roland Allen, A. C. Milhollan, Albert Gnip, John F. Furlong, John Powell.

John W. Emerson, Exr.
Estate of Myrtle Emerson, Deceased.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Myrtle Emerson, late of Monessen, Westmoreland county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Westmoreland county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against them to present them to Squire J. A. Watkins for settlement. 99-6tw

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FRIDAY

"An Oriental Romance," 2 reels, Imp drama. "The Counterfeit," Victor drama. "How Doctor Cupid Won," Nestor comedy. "A Leap From the Water Tower." "The Man, the Mission and the Maid."

SATURDAY

"Her Weakling Brothers," "Three Bad Men and a Girl," 2 reel western drama featuring Francis Ford and Grace Cunard." "Love and Law," Joker. Animated Weekly No. 154.

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